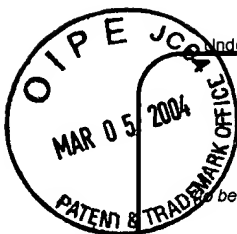


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# 20/petition

Applicants: Axel Thomsen  
Serial No.: 09/695,703  
Filed: October 25, 2000  
Group Art Unit: 2857  
Examiner: Paul Kim  
Title: INDIRECT TECHNIQUES FOR MEASURING 1/f NOISE



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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT  
UNDER MPEP 711.03(c)(II)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby submits this Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment of this application. This application became abandoned on January 3, 2004 for failure to pay the Issue Fee due for this application. The Notice of Abandonment issued on February 9, 2004. This Petition is being timely filed after receipt of the Notice of Abandonment.

The Notice of Abandonment indicates that this application was abandoned through failure to pay the Issue Fee. However, Applicant did not receive the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due. Attached as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of Applicants' docket sheet showing where a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due would have been docketed had one been received. The docket sheet was printed on February 27, 2004, upon receipt of the Notice of Abandonment.

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Applicant hereby states that the Notice of Allowance was never received at the current address of record, Winstead Sechrest & Minick P.C., P.O. Box 50784, 1201 Elm Street, Dallas, Texas 75270. Applicant further states that this is a valid and acceptable mailing address for the U.S. Postal Service at the time the Notice of Allowance was issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Attached as Exhibit B is a copy of the Revocation of Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent along with a Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent signed by Stephanie A. Lucie, Vice President and Associate General Counsel of Assignee, Cirrus Logic, Inc. The Power of Attorney, appointing the undersigned as Attorney for this application and changing the correspondence address to the Attorneys address was filed with the PTO on March 14, 2002 via Certificate of Mailing. Exhibit B also includes a copy of the Certificate of Mailing, along with the return receipt post card evidencing receipt by the PTO of these documents on March 25, 2002.

The Attorney of Record also states that a complete and thorough search was made of the files and the Attorney's offices in order to determine if an office letter had been received. No such communication was found nor was a docket record found indicating that the communication had been received.

For the foregoing reasons, the Applicant respectfully requests that this Petition be accepted and that the Office reissue a new Notice of Allowance in this application. If the examiner has any questions regarding this Petition or any other matter, he/she is requested to contact the undersigned attorney for Applicant.

However, should this Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment not be approved for any reason, Applicant hereby requests that this Petition be treated as a Petition for Revival of an

Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b). A grantable petition requires the following items: (1) a Petition fee. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees due by this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-2426 of Winstead Sechrest & Minick P.C.

(2) the Reply and/or issue fee. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the Issue Fee and any other required fee to Deposit Account No. 23-2426 of Winstead Sechrest & Minick P.C.

However, please note that as the Notice of Allowance / Issue Fee due has not been received, it is not possible to provide a completed Issue Fee form; (3) a Terminal Disclaimer with the disclaimer fee if the application was filed before June 8, 1995. This application was filed on October 25, 2000, so a Terminal Disclaimer is not required for this application; and (4) a Statement that the entire delay was unintentional. Applicant hereby provides such statement: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 1.137(b) was unintentional.

It is believed that no fees are due for this Petition. However, if any fees are due, the Director is hereby authorized to debit all fees due to the Deposit Account of Winstead Sechrest & Minick P.C., Deposit Account No. 23-2426.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: March 3, 2004

By: James J. Murphy  
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## TITLE

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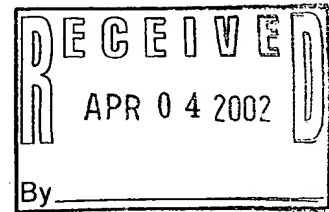
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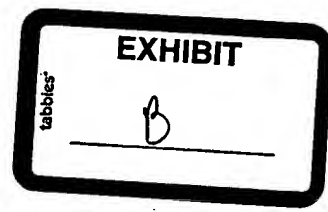


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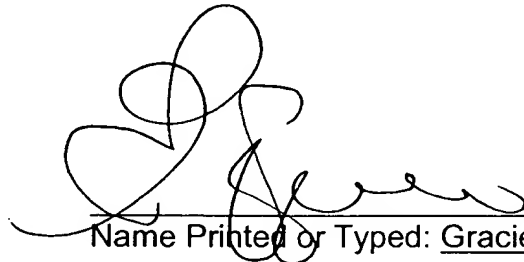
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